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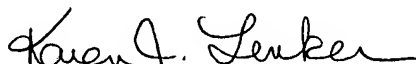
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JULY 13, 2004

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action mailed July 13, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.